

## LESSON 2: Using the Product Search Feature Objectives

**At the conclusion of  
this lesson, you will  
be able to:**

- \* **Define the Product Search feature.**
- \* **Identify which option in the “Search By” listbox is appropriate for the search to be performed.**
- \* **Search for products and product information in the ECAT database.**
- \* **Filter data from the ECAT database.**

## LESSON 2: Using the Product Search Feature

### 2.1 What is the Product Search feature?

The **Product Search** feature is a method of searching for the products you are looking for in the ECAT database so later you can compare different suppliers' prices, product features, and delivery conditions before you make a purchase. It is the starting point for almost every action you perform in ECAT.

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Search By Panel - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by DSCP". The address bar displays "https://medweb.dscp.dla.mil/pls/prod/admin\_options.p\_show\_admin\_options". The page header includes the "dmmonline" logo and the text "Product Search". A navigation bar contains links: "Search", "Working List", "User Notes", "Address", "Reorder List", "Cart", "Status", and "Reports". Below the header, a message reads: "Need Help? Contact the ECAT Help Desk at 800-290-8201 or ecathelp@dscp.dla.mil". The main search area is titled "Search By:" and contains a text input field with the placeholder "Enter one or two words to identify the product(s) of interest (e.g. modem, 9600):". Below this is a dropdown menu for "Product Name" and two radio buttons: "Match Exact" (selected) and "Match Any". A section titled "Narrow Search By:" contains a text input field with the placeholder "Enter one or two words contained in the Supplier's name(terminate with \* for wildcard search) to narrow the search results". Below this is a dropdown menu for "Supplier Name". Another section titled "Narrow by Product Description" has a text input field. Below that are two dropdown menus: "Order Search Results" (set to "Ascending") and "By:" (set to "Price"). At the bottom of the search area are two radio buttons: "View Products" (selected) and "View Supplier Catalogs". A button labeled "Execute Search" is located at the bottom left of the search area.

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### 2.1.1 How to filter data

Filtering is a method of narrowing your search results by looking for more specific data from the database. For example, instead of searching the ECAT database for just “gloves”, which could return 2000 results, you could search for “vinyl gloves” which could return 200 results. In ECAT you can filter data by using a **wildcard** or the **Narrow Search** features.

### 2.1.2 Wildcards

In computers, a **wildcard** is a special symbol that can stand for multiple characters. A **wildcard** expands your search capability by returning products that begin with a specific character set and end with different ones. The wildcard used in ECAT is the asterisk (\*). Examples of the wildcard’s use will be given throughout the next several lessons.

Search By Panel - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by DSCP

Product Search

Search By: Enter Part Number to search for (terminate with \* for wildcard search):  
Part Number: 1223\*

Narrow Search By: Enter one or two words contained in the Supplier's name (terminate with \* for wildcard search) to narrow the search results  
Supplier Name:

Narrow by Product Description:

☐ Order Search Results  By: Price

☐ View Products ☐ View Supplier Catalogs

Execute Search

Product Listing

Part Number Search: 1223\* Products 1 to 20 out of 63.

Supplier( Catalog)	Product Name	Part Number	Price	UOI	Items/ UOI	Lead Time	Quantity Ordered	Action
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">BEAKER W/HAND 1000ML 6/CS 1/PK</a>	1223-1000	\$25.52	Package	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">BEAKER W/HAND 1000ML 6/CS 1/PK</a>	1223-1000	\$153.20	Case	6	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">SCALER DE GRACEY 7/8 LTO</a>	1223-212	\$16.93	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">SCALER DE GRACEY 11/12 LTO</a>	1223-221	\$16.93	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">SCALER DE GRACEY 13/14 LTO</a>	1223-230	\$16.93	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">SCALER DE COL 4I/4R LTO</a>	1223-249	\$16.93	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">BEAKER W/HAND 3000ML 6/CS 1/PK</a>	1223-3000	\$178.78	Case	6	2		<input type="checkbox"/>

Current Reorder List:

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### 2.2 Search by the options in the 'Search By' listbox

The **'Search By'** listbox shows the options available for you to choose from to search for products in ECAT.

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Search Results Working List User Notes Address Reorder List Cart Status Reports

**Search By:** Enter one or two words to identify the product(s) of interest (e.g. modem, 9600):

Product Name  ☒ Match Exact ☐ Match Any

Product Name

Part Number

Manufacturer Name

Manufacturer Number

Product UPN Code

National Stock Number

FSC Code

Supplier Name

Enter one or two words contained in the Supplier's name(terminate with \* for wildcard search) to narrow the search results

Narrow by Product Description

☐ Order Search Results  By:

☒ View Products ☐ View Supplier Catalogs

[Execute Search](#)

## LESSON 2: Using the Product Search Feature (continued)

### 2.2.1 Product Name Search

The **Product Name Search** allows you to search for the product by its name. You can enter either one or two words that identify the desired product. The result of your search is returned on the **Product Listing** screen.

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**Search By:** Enter one or two words to identify the product(s) of interest (e.g. modem, 9600):  
  ☒ Match Exact ☐ Match Any

**Narrow Search By:** Enter one or two words contained in the Supplier's name (terminate with \* for wildcard search) to narrow the results

**Narrow by Product Description**

☐ Order Search Results  By:

☒ View Products ☐ View Supplier Catalogs

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Search Results Working List User Notes Address Reorder List Cart Status Reports

**Product Name Search: VINYL GLOVES (Match Exact)** **Products 1 to 20 out of 82.**  [Keyword Search](#)

Supplier( Catalog)	Product Name	Part Number	Price	UOI	Items/ UOI	Lead Time	Quantity Ordered	Action
<a href="#">ECAT Test Supplier A</a> (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES VINYL PF SM 100/PK</a>	19278509	\$137.53	Case	1000	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">ECAT Test Supplier A</a> (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES VINYL PF LG 100/PK</a>	19278511	\$137.53	Case	1000	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">ECAT Test Supplier A</a> (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES VINYL PF SM 100/PK</a>	19278509	\$13.76	Package	100	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">ECAT Test Supplier A</a> (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES VINYL PF LG 100/PK</a>	19278511	\$13.76	Package	100	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">ECAT Test Supplier A</a> (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES, VINYL LP LG BX 100</a>	5762D42	\$4.38	Box	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">ECAT Test Supplier A</a> (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES, VINYL LP LG CS1000</a>	5762D44	\$43.76	Case	10	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">ECAT Test Supplier A</a> (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES, VINYL LP XL BX</a>	5762D46	\$4.38	Box	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>

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### 2.2.1.1 Match Exact Option

The **Match Exact Option** returns results where the product name matches the exact phrase used in the search box.

**Product Search**

Search By: Enter one or two words to identify the product(s) of interest (e.g. modem, 9600):  
 Product Name: vinyl gloves  
☒ Match Exact ☐ Match Any

Narrow Search By: Enter one or two words contained in the Supplier's name (terminate with \* for wildcard search) to narrow the search  
 Supplier Name:   
 Narrow by Product Description:   
☐ Order Search Results  Ascending By: Price   
☒ View Products ☐ View Supplier Catalogs

**Product Listing**

Product Name Search: VINYL GLOVES (Match Exact) Products 1 to 20 out of 82.

Supplier( Catalog)	Product Name	Part Number	Price	UOI	Items/ UOI	Lead Time	Quantity Ordered	Action
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES VINYL PF SM 100/PK</a>	19278509	\$137.53	Case	1000	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES VINYL PF LG 100/PK</a>	19278511	\$137.53	Case	1000	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES VINYL PF SM 100/PK</a>	19278509	\$13.76	Package	100	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES VINYL PF LG 100/PK</a>	19278511	\$13.76	Package	100	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES, VINYL LP LG BX 100</a>	5762D42	\$4.38	Box	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES, VINYL LP LG CS1000</a>	5762D44	\$43.76	Case	10	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES, VINYL LP VL RY</a>	5762D46	\$4.38	Box	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>

Current Reorder List:

### 2.2.1.2 Match Any Option

The **Match Any Option** returns results where the phrase used in the search box appears anywhere in the product name.

**Product Search**

Search By: Enter one or two words to identify the product(s) of interest (e.g. modem, 9600):  
 Product Name: vinyl gloves  
☐ Match Exact ☒ Match Any

Narrow Search By: Enter one or two words contained in the Supplier's name (terminate with \* for wildcard search) to narrow the search  
 Supplier Name:   
 Narrow by Product Description:

**Product Listing**

Product Name Search: VINYL GLOVES (Match Any) Products 1 to 20 out of 89.

Supplier( Catalog)	Product Name	Part Number	Price	UOI	Items/ UOI	Lead Time	Quantity Ordered	Action
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES VINYLITE</a>	40861	\$6.12	Box	100	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES VINYLITE</a>	40862	\$6.12	Box	100	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES VINYLITE</a>	40863	\$6.12	Box	100	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES VINYLITE</a>	40864	\$6.12	Box	100	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES VINYL PF SM 100/PK</a>	19278509	\$137.53	Case	1000	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES VINYL PF LG 100/PK</a>	19278511	\$137.53	Case	1000	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES VINYL PF SM 100/PK</a>	19278509	\$13.76	Package	100	2		<input type="checkbox"/>

Current Reorder List:

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### 2.2.2 Part Number Search

The **Part Number Search** is used to search by the part number of the item you are looking for in ECAT. This part number is provided by the ECAT supplier, not the Manufacturer.

Remember, you can use the wildcard asterisk (\*), if you do not know the full part number.

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**Search By:** Enter Part Number to search for (terminate with \* for wildcard search):

Part Number

**Narrow Search By:** Enter one or two words contained in the Supplier's name (terminate with \* for wildcard search) to narrow results

Supplier Name

**Narrow by Product Description**

☐ Order Search Results  By:

☒ View Products ☐ View Supplier Catalogs

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**Part Number Search: 11045A** **Products 1 to 1 out of 1.**  [Keyword Search](#)

Supplier( Catalog)	Product Name	Part Number	Price	UOI	Items/ UOI	Lead Time	Quantity Ordered	Action
<a href="#">ECAT Test Supplier C</a> (ECAT Test Supplier C Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES,VINYL,100/PK,1M/CS SM</a>	11045A	\$119.60	Case	1000	2		<input type="checkbox"/>

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### 2.2.2.1 Use the Part Number Search to Find All Products

If you know the part number of one product in the ECAT database, you can use the **Part Number Search** to find all products with matching part numbers offered by ECAT vendors.

First, perform a Part Number Search as described in section 2.2.2.

Supplier( Catalog)	Product Name	Part Number	Price	UOI	Items/ UOI	Lead Time	Quantity Ordered	Action
ECAT Test Supplier D (ECAT Test Supplier D Catalog)	<a href="#">EPOXY COATED TEST TUBE RACK</a>	23245H	\$19.16	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>

Next, on the Product Listing screen, click the product name to display the Item Base Detail screen.

Base Information For: EPOXY COATED TEST TUBE RACK	
Name:	EPOXY COATED TEST TUBE RACK
Part Number:	23245H
Description:	EPOXY COATED TEST TUBE RACK
Price:	\$19.16
Unit of Issue:	EA
Items Per Unit of Issue:	1
Trade Name:	
Manufacturer Name:	MANUFACTURER A INC.
Manufacturer Part Number:	3224000X
UPN:	
NSN:	



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Then, on the Item Base Detail Screen,  
click the **Search for Manufacturer  
Part Number** button.

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**Item Base Detail**

Base Information For: EPOXY COATED TEST TUBE RACK

<b>Name:</b>	EPOXY COATED TEST TUBE RACK
<b>Part Number:</b>	23245H
<b>Description:</b>	EPOXY COATED TEST TUBE RACK
<b>Price:</b>	\$19.16
<b>Unit of Issue:</b>	EA
<b>Items Per Unit of Issue:</b>	1
<b>Trade Name:</b>	
<b>Manufacturer Name:</b>	MANUFACTURER A INC.
<b>Manufacturer Part Number:</b>	3224000X
<b>UPN:</b>	
<b>NSN:</b>	

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Manufacturer Part Number Search: 3224000X Products 1 to 4 out of 4.

Supplier( Catalog)	Product Name	Part Number	Price	UOI	Items/ UOI	Lead Time	Quantity Ordered	Action
ECAT Test Supplier B (ECAT Test Supplier B Catalog)	224000X PK12 EPOXY COATED SU	0241C02	\$208.11	Package	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier C (ECAT Test Supplier C Catalog)	TT RACK 40 HOLE 22MM BLUE	147937	\$21.83	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier D (ECAT Test Supplier D Catalog)	EPOXY COATED TEST TUBE RACK	23245H	\$19.16	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier D (ECAT Test Supplier D Catalog)	TT RACK 40 HOLE 22MM BLUE	147937	\$251.99	Case	12	2		<input type="checkbox"/>

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Finally, a new Product Listing screen displaying all products with matching part numbers will open.

Note: Sometimes, manufacturer part numbers will match, but the products will not be equivalents. To check equivalency, you can place the items on your Working List and compare them. This process is described in Lesson 3.

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### 2.2.3 Manufacturer Name Search

The **Manufacturer Name Search** is used to search for the products made by a particular manufacturer.

Search By: Enter one or two words to identify the manufacturer of interest (e.g. General Electric):

Manufacturer Name: Manufacturer A

Narrow Search By: Enter one or two words contained in the Supplier's name (terminate with \* for wildcard search) to narrow the search results

Supplier Name: [Text Box]

Narrow by Product Description: [Text Box]

☐ Order Search Results Ascending By: Part Number

☒ View Products ☐ View Supplier Catalogs

[Execute Search](#)

Manufacturer Name Search: MANUFACTURER A Products 1 to 8 out of 8.

Supplier( Catalog)	Product Name	Part Number	Price	UOI	Items/ UOI	Lead Time	Quantity Ordered	Action
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">BEAKER W/HAND 1000ML 6/CS 1/PK</a>	1223-1000	\$25.52	Package	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">SCALER DE GRACEY 7/8 LTO</a>	1223-212	\$16.93	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">BEAKER W/HAND 3000ML 6/CS 1/PK</a>	1223-3000	\$178.78	Case	6	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES VINYLITE</a>	40861	\$6.12	Box	100	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier B (Ecat Test Supplier B Catalog)	<a href="#">RUBBER DAM CLAMP #11</a>	1223-918	\$11.73	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier B (Ecat Test Supplier B Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES DEFEND VINYL PF S 100</a>	1975-660	\$9.19	Box	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier C (Ecat Test Supplier C Catalog)	<a href="#">TIE WRAPS TEFLON PVDF 7 100PK</a>	12233-200	\$27.13	Package	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier D (Ecat Test Supplier D Catalog)	<a href="#">EPOXY COATED TEST TUBE RACK</a>	23245H	\$19.16	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>

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### 2.2.4 Manufacturer Number Search

The **Manufacturer Number Search** allows you to search for products using the manufacturer's part number.

Remember, you can use the wildcard asterisk (\*), if you do not know the full manufacturer part number.

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**Search By:** Enter Manufacturer Number to search for (terminate with \* for wildcard search):

Manufacturer Number

**Narrow Search By:** Enter one or two words contained in the Supplier's name (terminate with \* for wildcard results)

Supplier Name

Narrow by Product Description

☐ Order Search Results Ascending By: Part Number

☒ View Products ☐ View Supplier Catalogs

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Manufacturer Part Number Search: G3026 Products 1 to 1 out of 1  [Keyword Search](#)

Supplier( Catalog)	Product Name	Part Number	Price	UOI	Items/ UOI	Lead Time	Quantity Ordered	Action
<a href="#">ECAT Test Supplier D</a> (ECAT Test Supplier D Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES SEAMLESS VINYL, DISPOSABLE POWDERED, 0.0065-IN GAUGE, LARGE</a>	G3026-100EA	\$27.04 	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>

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### 2.2.5 National Stock Number Search

The **National Stock Number (NSN)** search is used to search by the product's NSN. Not all suppliers provide NSNs, so even if a search by NSN does not return any results, it is possible that the item may still be in ECAT. A search by another parameter for the same NSN could yield a match.

Search By: Enter National Stock Number to search for (terminate with \* for wildcard search):  
 [National Stock Number] 6505014835455

Narrow Search By: Enter one or two words contained in the Supplier's name (terminate with \* for wildcard search) to narrow the search results  
 [Supplier Name]

Narrow by Product Description

☐ Order Search Results [Ascending] By: [Part Number]

☒ View Products ☐ View Supplier Catalogs

[Execute Search](#)

Remember, you can use the wildcard asterisk (\*), if you do not know the full NSN.

NSN Search: 6505014835455 Products 1 to 1 out of 1

Supplier( Catalog)	Product Name	Part Number	Price	UOI	Items/ UOI	Lead Time	Quantity Ordered	Action
<a href="#">ECAT Test Supplier D</a> (ECAT Test Supplier D Catalog)	<a href="#">DEXTROSE (GLUCOSE) INJECTION, BP, 5%, 100 ML, VIALFLEX, 50s</a>	FPB0087G	\$50.09	Case	50	2		<input type="checkbox"/>

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### 2.2.6 Supplier Name Search

The **Supplier Name Search** is used to search for all the products by a particular supplier.

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Search By: **Supplier Name** Enter one or two words to identify the suppliers of interest: Supplier C

Narrow Search By: Enter a contract number to narrow the search results

Contract Number: [Dropdown]

Narrow by Product Description: [Text Box]

☐ Order Search Results Ascending By: Part Number

☒ View Products ☐ View Supplier Catalogs

Execute Search

Product Listing

Supplier Name Search: SUPPLIER C Products 1 to 20 out of 57.

Supplier( Catalog)	Product Name	Part Number	Price	UOI	Items/ UOI	Lead Time	Quantity Ordered	Action
ECAT Test Supplier C (ECAT Test Supplier C Catalog)	<a href="#">TIE WRAPS TEFLON PVDF 7 100PK</a>	12233-200	\$27.13	Package	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier C (ECAT Test Supplier C Catalog)	<a href="#">CHROMIUM(III) OXIDE PURE</a>	12233-6X1KG-R	\$281.72	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier C (ECAT Test Supplier C Catalog)	<a href="#">8-HYDROXYQUINOLINE N-OXIDE, 98% [8-HYDROXYQUINOLINE N-OXIDE, 98%]</a>	122335-10G	\$99.81	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier C (ECAT Test Supplier C Catalog)	<a href="#">8-HYDROXYQUINOLINE N-OXIDE, 98%</a>	122335-5G	\$76.82	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier C (ECAT Test Supplier C Catalog)	<a href="#">ELECTRODE, GLASS BODY,SURE-FLO</a>	12235	\$162.00	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier C (ECAT Test Supplier C Catalog)	<a href="#">CHROMIUM(VI) OXIDE EXTRA PURE, B. P. C. 1968, N. F. X</a>	12235-1KG	\$102.24	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier C (ECAT Test Supplier C Catalog)	<a href="#">CHROMIUM(VI) OXIDE EXTRA PURE, B.</a>	12235-2 5KG	\$224.95	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>

Current Reorder List: [Create a New Reorder List]

Next Add to Working List Add to Reorder List Add to Cart Add to User Notes



## LESSON 2: Using the Product Search Feature (continued)

### 2.3 Apply Search Parameters

The **Search Parameters** are the options found on the bottom part of the Product Search page. They are used to customize your search results. By applying the search parameters in different combinations, you can receive a result set more customized to your business needs.

Search Parameters

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "Search By Panel - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by DSCP". The address bar contains a URL with search parameters. The page header includes the "dmmonline" logo and the text "Product Search". A navigation bar contains links: Search, Results, Working List, User Notes, Address, Reorder List, Cart, Status, and Reports. The main content area has two sections: "Search By:" and "Narrow Search By:". The "Search By:" section has a dropdown menu for "Product Name" and a text input field. Below it are radio buttons for "Match Exact" (selected) and "Match Any". The "Narrow Search By:" section has a dropdown menu for "Supplier Name" and a text input field. Below that is a section for "Narrow by Product Description" with a text input field. Further down are checkboxes for "Order Search Results" (unchecked) and "View Products" (selected). There are also dropdown menus for "Ascending" and "By: Part Number". At the bottom of the search parameters section is a button labeled "Execute Search".

Search By: Enter one or two words to identify the product(s) of interest (e.g. modem, 9600):  
Product Name  ☒ Match Exact ☐ Match Any

Narrow Search By: Enter one or two words contained in the Supplier's name(terminate with \* for wildcard search) to narrow the search results  
Supplier Name

Narrow by Product Description

☐ Order Search Results  By:

☒ View Products ☐ View Supplier Catalogs

## LESSON 2: Using the Product Search Feature (continued)

### 2.3.1 Narrow Search By

The **Narrow Search By** feature allows you to filter your results either by a specific supplier or by a specific contract. This feature is used in combination with the “Search By” box above it to further refine your result set.

**Narrow Search By  
Feature**

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**Search By:** Enter one or two words to identify the product(s) of interest (e.g. modem, 9600):

Product Name  ☒ Match Exact ☐ Match Any

**Narrow Search By:** Enter one or two words contained in the Supplier's name(terminate with \* for wildcard search) to narrow the search results

Supplier Name   
Supplier Name   
Contract Number

**Narrow by Product Description**

☐ Order Search Results  By:

☒ View Products ☐ View Supplier Catalogs

Done Internet

## LESSON 2: Using the Product Search Feature (continued)

### 2.3.1.1 Supplier Name

Choose Supplier Name in the Narrow Search By box and type in a supplier's name to search for products only from that supplier.

Remember, you can use the wildcard asterisk (\*), if you do not know the entire supplier name.

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Address: panel?searchby\_ndx=0&searchby\_val=&narrowby\_ndx=0&narrowby\_val=&order\_prods=false&up\_or\_down=0&order\_by=0&goto\_prods=undefined&nrrw\_prod\_desc=

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Search By: Enter one or two words to identify the product(s) of interest (e.g. modem, 9600):

Product Name vinyl gloves ☐ Match Exact ☐ Match Any

Narrow Search By: Enter one or two words contained in the Supplier's name (terminate with \* for wildcard search) to:

Supplier Name

Narrow by Product Description

☐ Order Search Results Ascending By: Part Number

☒ View Products ☐ View Supplier Catalogs

Execute Search

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Search Results Working List User Notes Address Reorder List Cart Status Reports

Product Name Search: VINYL GLOVES (Match Exact) Products 1 to 20 out of 21.  Keyword Search

Narrow by Supplier Name: SUPPLIER A

Supplier( Catalog)	Product Name	Part Number	Price	UOI	Items/UOI	Lead Time	Quantity Ordered	Action
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES VINYL PF SM 100/PK</a>	19278509	\$137.53 <small>1000</small>	Case	1000	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES VINYL PF LG 100/PK</a>	19278511	\$137.53 <small>1000</small>	Case	1000	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES VINYL PF SM 100/PK</a>	19278509	\$13.76 <small>1000</small>	Package	100	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES VINYL PF LG 100/PK</a>	19278511	\$13.76 <small>1000</small>	Package	100	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES, VINYL LP LG BX 100</a>	5762D42	\$4.38 <small>1000</small>	Box	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES, VINYL LP LG CS1000</a>	5762D44	\$43.76 <small>1000</small>	Case	10	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A								

Current Reorder List:

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### 2.3.1.2 Contract Number

Choose Contract Number in the Narrow Search By box and type in a contract number to search for products including only that contract number.

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Address dx=0&searchby\_val=VINYL GLOVES&narrowby\_ndx=1&narrowby\_val=&border\_prods=false&up\_or\_down=0&order\_by=0&goto\_prods=undefined&nrrw\_prof\_desc=

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Search Results Working List User Notes Address Reorder List Cart Status Reports

Search By: Enter one or two words to identify the product(s) of interest (e.g. modem, 9600):

Product Name VINYL GLOVES ☐ Match Exact ☐ Match Any

Narrow Search By: Enter a contract number to narrow the search results

Contract Number SP0200ESDTEST

Narrow by Product Description

☐ Order Search Results  Ascending By:  Part Number

☐ View Products ☐ View Supplier Catalogs

Execute Search

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Search Results Working List User Notes Address Reorder List Cart Status Reports

Product Name Search: VINYL GLOVES - Match Exact

Narrow by Contract Number: SP0200ESDTEST

Products 1 to 20 out of 82.  Keyword Search

Supplier(Catalog)	Product Name	Part Number	Price	UOI	Items/ UOI	Lead Time	Quantity Ordered	Action
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES VINYL PF SM 100/PK</a>	19278509	\$137.53 	Case	1000	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES VINYL PF LG 100/PK</a>	19278511	\$137.53 	Case	1000	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES VINYL PF SM 100/PK</a>	19278509	\$13.76 	Package	100	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES VINYL PF LG 100/PK</a>	19278511	\$13.76 	Package	100	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES, VINYL LP LG BX 100</a>	5762D42	\$4.38 	Box	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES, VINYL LP LG CS1000</a>	5762D44	\$43.76 	Case	10	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A								

Current Reorder List:  Create a New Reorder List

Next  Add to Working List  Add to Reorder List  Add to Cart  Add to User Notes

## LESSON 2: Using the Product Search Feature (continued)

### 2.3.2 Narrow by Product Description

The **Narrow by Product Description** feature allows you to further refine your search and customize your result set by adding more details that must appear in the desired products' descriptions. You can enter up to two words in this field to narrow your search.

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Search By: Enter one or two words to identify the product(s) of interest (e.g. modem, 9600):  
 Product Name: VINYL GLOVES ☐ Match Exact ☐ Match Any

Narrow Search By: Enter one or two words contained in the Supplier's name(terminate with \* for wildcard search) to narrow the search  
 Supplier Name:   
 Narrow by Product Description: POWDERED

☐ Order Search Results  Ascending By:  Part Number

☐ View Products ☐ View Supplier Catalogs

Execute Search

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Search Results Working List User Notes Address Reorder List Cart Status Reports

Product Name Search: VINYL GLOVES (Match Exact)  
 Narrowing by Product Description: POWDERED Products 1 to 6 out of 6.  keyword Search

Supplier( Catalog)	Product Name	Part Number	Price	UOI	Items/ UOI	Lead Time	Quantity Ordered	Action
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	GLOVES, VINYL, 5mil	5762R30	\$7.18	Box	100	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	GLOVES, VINYL, LARGE	5762J40	\$6.04	Package	100	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	GLOVES, VINYL, MEDIUM	5762R20	\$7.18	Box	100	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	GLOVES, VINYL	5762R10	\$7.23	Box	100	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier D (ECAT Test Supplier I Catalog)	GLOVES SEAMLESS VINYL, DISPOSABLE POWDERED, 0.0065-IN GAUGE, LARGE	G3026-100EA	\$27.04	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier D (ECAT Test Supplier D Catalog)	GLOVES SEAMLESS VINYL, DISPOSABLE POWDERED, 0.005-IN GAUGE, MEDIUM	G9775-100EA	\$13.76	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>

Current Reorder List:

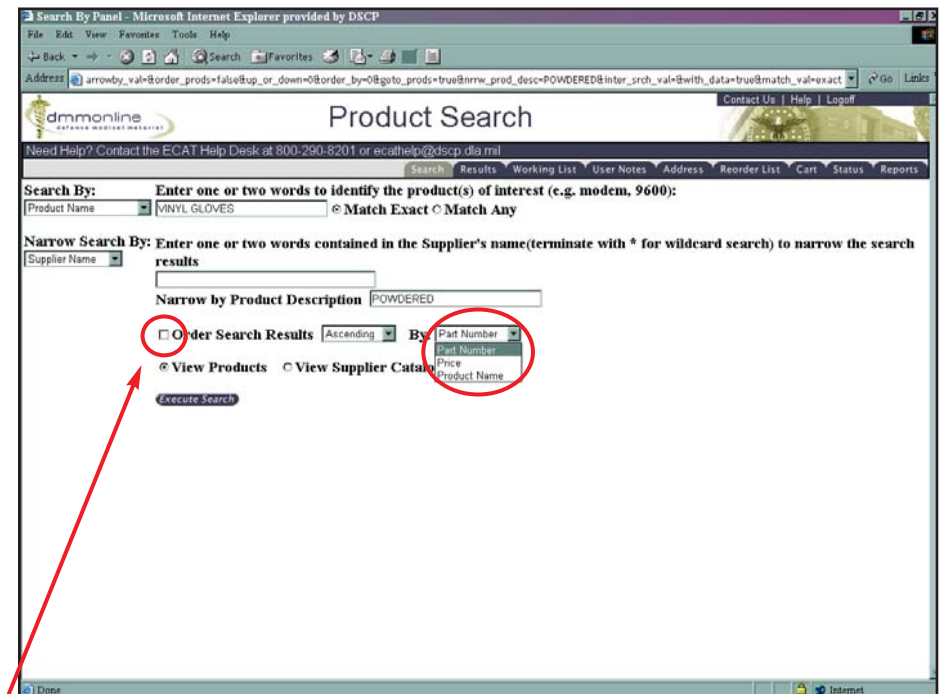
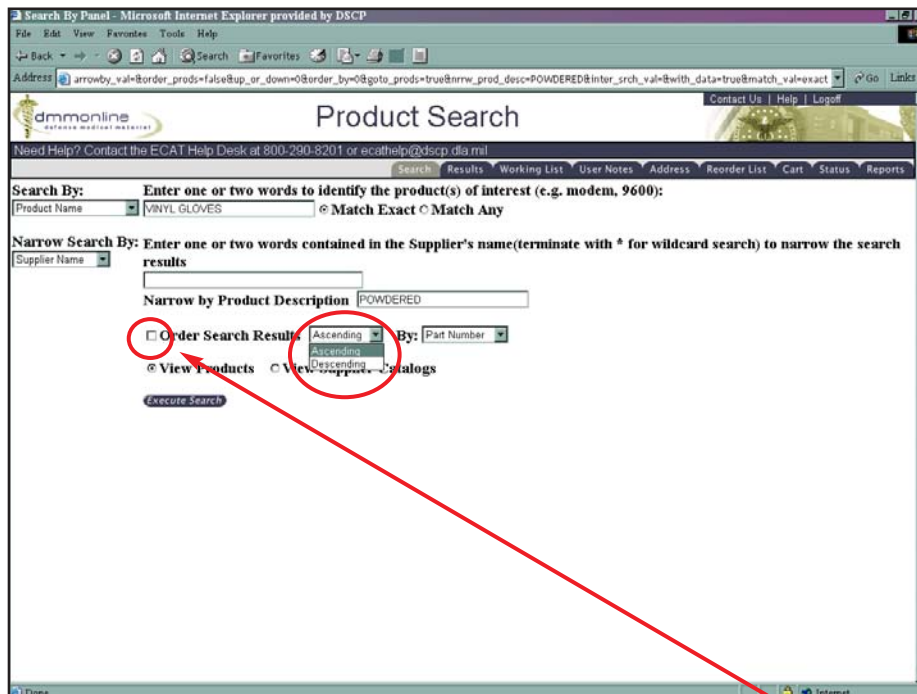
You can narrow the search by both the supplier's name and the product description by filling in both fields!



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### 2.3.3 Sequencing Options

The **Sequencing Options** allow you to order your search results in either Ascending or Descending order by Part Number, Price or Product Name. First, click the **Order Search Results** checkbox. Then, choose **Ascending Order** to return results listed with the smallest part number, lowest price, or alphabetically first product name at the beginning of the result set. Or, choose **Descending Order** to return results with the largest part number, highest price, or alphabetically last product listed first.



**Order Search Results** checkbox

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### 2.3.4 View Products/ View Supplier Catalog Option

After you have entered your search criteria, you have the option of viewing the products or viewing the suppliers of those products. All the previous examples have demonstrated the **View Products** feature. If instead you want to see which suppliers carry the products you search for in ECAT, choose the **View Supplier Catalogs** option to display the results on the following screen.

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Search By: Enter one or two words to identify the product(s) of interest (e.g. modem, 9600):  
 Product Name VINYL GLOVES ☐ Match Exact ☐ Match Any

Narrow Search By: Enter one or two words contained in the Supplier's name (terminate with \* for wildcard search) to narrow the search results  
 Supplier Name   
 Narrow by Product Description

☐ Order Search Results Ascending By: Part Number

☐ View Products ☒ View Supplier Catalogs

Execute Search

Supplier/Catalog Listing

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Supplier Name (Catalog Name)	Phone
<a href="#">ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)</a>	800-555-1234
<a href="#">ECAT Test Supplier B (Ecat Test Supplier B Catalog)</a>	800-555-3456
<a href="#">ECAT Test Supplier C (ECAT Test Supplier C Catalog)</a>	800-555-3131
<a href="#">ECAT Test Supplier D (ECAT Test Supplier D Catalog)</a>	800-555-7788

## LESSON 2: Using the Product Search Feature (continued)

### 2.4 Display results of the search on the Product Listing screen

There are various features and links on the **Products Listing** screen that provide further information about the suppliers and the products.

#### 2.4.1 Keyword Search

After you perform a search on the database, you can use the **Keyword Search** to further filter your results. Enter your search criteria and then click the **Keyword Search** button.

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Name Search: GLOVES (Match Exact)  
Narrowing by Product Description: VINYL

Products 1 to 4 out of 4.

Key Word: POWDERED

Supplier(Catalog)	Product Name	Part Number	Price	UOI	Items/ UOI	Lead Time	Quantity Ordered	Action
ECAT Test Supplier C (ECAT Test Supplier C Catalog)	DISPOSABLE VINYL GLOVES SM POWDERED	41-8834-03	\$6.52	Package	100	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier C (ECAT Test Supplier C Catalog)	DISPOSABLE VINYL GLOVES LG POWDERED	41-8834-09	\$6.23	Package	100	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier D (ECAT Test Supplier D Catalog)	GLOVES SEAMLESS VINYL, DISPOSABLE POWDERED, 0.0065-IN GAUGE, LARGE	G3026-100EA	\$27.04	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier D (ECAT Test Supplier D Catalog)	GLOVES SEAMLESS VINYL, DISPOSABLE POWDERED, 0.005-IN GAUGE, MEDIUM	G9775-100EA	\$13.76	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>

Current Reorder List:

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Search Results Working List User Notes Address Reorder List Cart Status Reports

Name Search: GLOVES (Match Exact)  
Narrowing by Product Description: VINYL

Products 1 to 20 out of 90.

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Catalog)	Product Name	Part Number	Price	UOI	Items/ UOI	Lead Time	Quantity Ordered	Action
Supplier A	GLOVES VINYLITE	40861	\$6.12	Box	100	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
Supplier A	GLOVES VINYLITE	40862	\$6.12	Box	100	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
Supplier A	GLOVES VINYLITE	40863	\$6.12	Box	100	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
Supplier A	GLOVES VINYLITE	40864	\$6.12	Box	100	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
Supplier A	GLOVES VINYL PF SM 100/PK	19278509	\$137.53	Case	1000	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
Supplier A	GLOVES VINYL PF LG 100/PK	19278511	\$137.53	Case	1000	2		<input type="checkbox"/>

Current Reorder List:

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### 2.4.2 View Supplier Information

To receive additional information about a supplier, click the Supplier's name on the **Product Listing Screen**, which can also be accessed by clicking the Results tab.

The screenshot shows two windows from the DSCP system. The left window is the 'Product Listing' screen, displaying a table of search results for 'POWDERED' gloves. The right window is the 'Supplier Profile' for 'ECAT Test Supplier C'.

**Product Listing Screen:**

Product Name Search: GLOVES (Match Exact)  
Narrowing by Product Description: VINYL  
Key Word: POWDERED  
Products 1 to 4 out of 4.

Supplier(Catalog)	Product Name	Part Number	Price	UOI	Items/ UOI	Lead Time	Quantity Ordered	Action
<a href="#">ECAT Test Supplier C</a> (ECAT Test Supplier C Catalog)	<a href="#">DISPOSABLE VINYL GLOVES SM POWDERED</a>	41-8834-03	\$6.52	Package	100	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">ECAT Test Supplier C</a> (ECAT Test Supplier C Catalog)	<a href="#">DISPOSABLE VINYL GLOVES LG POWDERED</a>	41-8834-09	\$6.23	Package	100	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">ECAT Test Supplier D</a> (ECAT Test Supplier D Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES SEAMLESS VINYL, DISPOSABLE POWDERED, 0.0065-IN GAUGE, LARGE</a>	G3026-100EA	\$27.04	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
<a href="#">ECAT Test Supplier D</a> (ECAT Test Supplier D Catalog)	<a href="#">GLOVES SEAMLESS VINYL, DISPOSABLE POWDERED, 0.005-IN GAUGE, MEDIUM</a>	G9775-100EA	\$13.76	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>

**Supplier Profile - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by DSCP**

**Supplier Profile**

Supplier Number:	100000097
Supplier Name:	ECAT Test Supplier C
Supplier Address:	900 Elm Street
City:	Dallas
State:	Texas
Zip:	23232
Country:	United States
Phone:	800-555-3131
Fax:	
Area Code:	555
Class of Trade:	Unknown
Business Class:	Unknown
Cage Code:	77777
DUNS Number:	666666666
E-Mail:	hi90055@dscp.dla.mil

Point of Contact: Person 3  
POC Phone:  
POC FAX:  
POC Email: h90055@dscp.dla.mil

Close

Current Reorder List: Create a New Reorder List  
Add to Working List Add to Reorder List Add to Cart Add to User Notes

You can also access this screen from the **Supplier /Catalog Listing** page found in section 2.3.4 or from the Supplier Info tab on the ECAT logon screen.

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### 2.4.3 View Product Details

To receive additional information about the product, click the product's name in the **Product Listing** screen, which will open the Item Base Detail window.

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





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Product Name Search: PULSE OXIMETER (Match Any) Products 1 to 16 out of 16. Keyword Search

Supplier( Catalog)	Product Name	Part Number	Price	UOI	Items/ UOI	Lead Time	Quantity Ordered	Action
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">Airway Adapter Tube (box of 12) for the 840 series Pulse Oximeter</a>	9840AAT	\$79.56 	Box	12	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">Carbon Dioxide Sensor for the 840 series Pulse Oximeter</a>	9840SA	\$255.00 	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">Finger Tip pulse Oximeter</a>	9500C	\$306.03 	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">Hand Held Pulse Oximeter</a> 	864773988	\$875.16 	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier B (Ecat Test Supplier B Catalog)	<a href="#">Software for the A series Pulse Oximeter</a>	12345	\$499.80 	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier B								

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Item  
Base  
Detail

### Base Information For: Hand Held Pulse Oximeter



Name:	Hand Held Pulse Oximeter												
Part Number:	864773988												
Description:	Hand Held Pulse Oximeter												
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11-20	10%	\$787.64											
21 or more	15%	\$743.89											
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Manufacturer Part Number:	788493												
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NSN:													

Options			
Option Title	Options	Mandatory	Charge
Adult Finger tip sensor	Adult Articulated Finger Clip Sensor 1 meter / \$104.04	Optional	See Option Value

Search for Manufacturer Part Number Attributes Long Description Close



### 2.4.3.1 Item Base Detail Window

The Item Base Detail window provides you with additional information about the product, including its name, part number, description, price, unit of issue, items per unit of issue, trade name, manufacturer name, manufacturer's part number, UPN, and NSN.

There are four buttons at the bottom of this window.

- \* The **Search for Manufacturer Part Number** button launches a search for all products with the same manufacturer part number. (See section 2.2.2.1)
- \* The **Attributes** button opens the Item Attributes window, which is displayed on the next page of this manual.
- \* The **Long Description** button opens the Item Long Description window, which is displayed on the next page of this manual.
- \* The **Close** button closes the Item Base Detail window.

Item Base Detail - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by DSCP

Item Base Detail

Base Information For: Hand Held Pulse Oximeter



Name:	Hand Held Pulse Oximeter		
Part Number:	864773988		
Description:	Hand Held Pulse Oximeter		
Price:	Quantity	Discount	Price
	1-10	0%	\$875.16
	11-20	10%	\$787.64
	21 or more	15%	\$743.89
Unit of Issue:	EA		
Items Per Unit of Issue:	1		
Trade Name:			
Manufacturer Name:	Manufacturer B		
Manufacturer Part Number:	788493		
UPN:			
NSN:			

Options			
Option Title	Options	Mandatory	Charge
Adult Finger tip sensor	Adult Articulated Finger Clip Sensor 1 meter / \$104.04	Optional	See Option Value

Search for Manufacturer Part Number Attributes Long Description Close

## LESSON 2: Using the Product Search Feature (continued)

### Item Attributes Window

### Item Base Detail Window

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Item Base Detail

Base Information For: Hand Held Pulse Oximeter



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Manufacturer Part Number:	788493		
UPN:			
NSN:			

Options			
Option Title	Options	Mandatory	Charge
Adult Finger tip sensor	Adult Articulated Finger Clip Sensor 1 meter	\$104.04	Optional See Option Value

Search for Manufacturer Part Number Attributes Long Description Close

Item Attributes - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by DSCP

Item Attributes

Attribute Information For: Hand Held Pulse Oximeter

Attribute	Value
Restricted material	N
General product	Y

Base Information Long Description Close

Item Long Description - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by DSCP

Item Long Description

Long description for: Hand Held Pulse Oximeter

The bright LED displays, simple operation, and outstanding battery performance make this product ideal for spot checks or transport monitoring.

Base Information Attributes Close

### Item Long Description Window

## LESSON 2: Using the Product Search Feature (continued)

### 2.4.3.2 Item Image Window

Certain items have images associated with them that you can view by clicking the icon next to the item's name on the Product Listing Screen.


https://medweb.dscpl.dla.mil/pls/prod/webobjects.g\_search\_init.p\_get\_search\_result - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by DSC

Product Listing

Need Help? Contact the ECAT Help Desk at 800-290-8201 or ecathelp@dscpl.dla.mil

Search Results Working List User Notes Address Reorder List Cart Status Reports

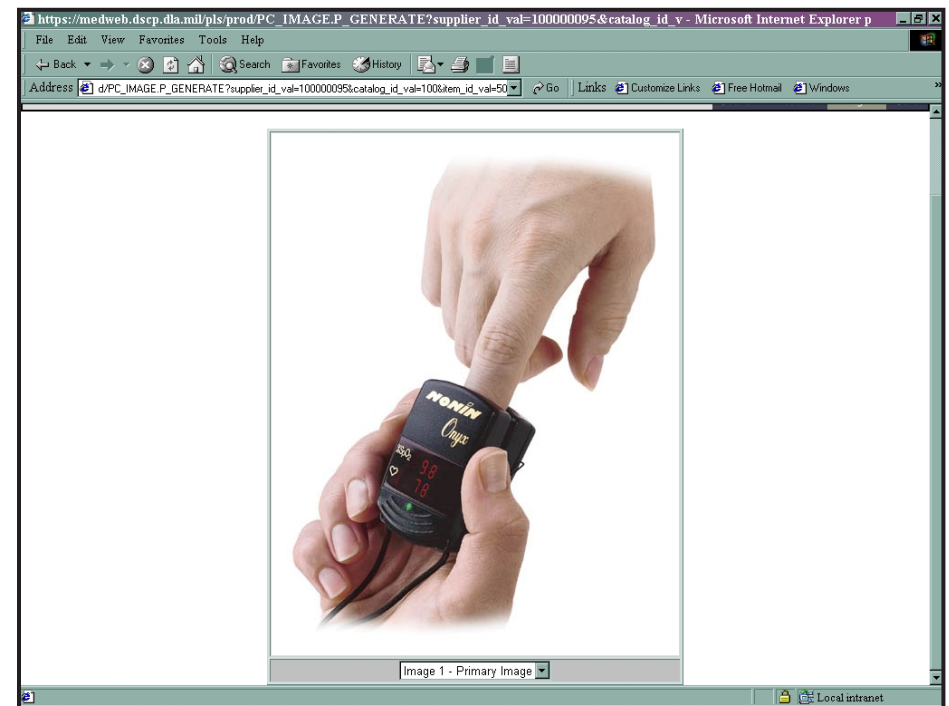
Product Name Search: PULSE OXIMETER (Match Any) Products 1 to 16 out of 16. Keyword Search

Supplier( Catalog)	Product Name	Part Number	Price	UOI	Items/ UOI	Lead Time	Quantity Ordered	Action
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">Airway Adapter Tube (box of 12) for the 840 series Pulse Oximeter</a>	9840AAT	\$79.56	Box	12	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">Carbon Dioxide Sensor for the 840 series Pulse Oximeter</a>	9840SA	\$255.00	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">Finger Tip pulse Oximeter</a>	9500C	\$306.03	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier A (Ecat Test Supplier A Catalog)	<a href="#">Hand Held Pulse Oximeter</a> 	864773988	\$875.16	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier B (Ecat Test Supplier B Catalog)	<a href="#">Software for the A series Pulse Oximeter</a>	12345	\$499.80	Each	1	2		<input type="checkbox"/>
ECAT Test Supplier B								

Current Reorder List: Create a New Reorder List

Add to Working List Add to Reorder List Add to Cart Add to User Notes

https://medweb.dscpl.dla.mil/pls/prod/g\_work\_list.p\_display\_worklist



To close the Images window, click the X in the upper right corner of the window.

Below are a few questions designed to reinforce the material presented in the preceding lesson.  
Please take a few minutes to carefully read and answer them. The answers can be found in Appendix F.

## Lesson 2 Questions

### 1. What is the Product Search Feature?

- a. A method of searching for user information in the ECAT database
- b. A method of searching for DoDAAC information in the ECAT database
- c. A method of searching for the products you are looking for in the ECAT database
- d. A method of searching for the shipping information you need in the ECAT database

### 2. In computers, what do you call a special symbol that can stand for multiple characters?

- a. Icon
- b. Wildcard
- c. Compound character
- d. Narrow Search

### 3. What is the best method of searching for all products with the same Manufacturer Part Number in ECAT, assuming you did not already have the part number?

- a. Search for a product using a different parameter, click the product's name on the Product Listing screen, and click the Search for Manufacturer Part Number button on the Item Base Detail screen
- b. Search for a product using a different parameter, click the supplier's name on the Product Listing screen, and click the Search for Manufacturer Part Number button on the Item Base Detail screen
- c. Search for a product using a different parameter and click the Search for Manufacturer Part Number button on the Item Base Detail screen
- d. Search for a product using a different parameter, click the product's name on the Product Listing screen, and click the Attributes button

**4. Which of the following is NOT a Search Parameter in ECAT?**

- a. Narrow Search By
- b. Order Search Results
- c. View Supplier Catalogs
- d. Product Search

**5. Which of the following is a valid product name search in ECAT?**

- a. Vinyl gloves
- b. Powdered, Vinyl Gloves
- c. Large, Powdered, Vinyl Gloves
- d. Large, White, Powdered Vinyl Gloves

**6. What does it mean to filter data?**

- a. To improve the accuracy of the data
- b. To narrow your search results by looking for more specific data from the database
- c. To compare products in the database based on specific parameters
- d. To sort from highest to lowest price

**7. Which of the following special characters is used to perform a wildcard search in ECAT?**

- a. %
- b. #
- c. &
- d. \*